MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH LACE OF DEALH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS County CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 791 Township Registration District No. File No. Village. Primary Registration District No. Registered No .. City [If death occurred in a hospital or institution. give its NAME instead of street and number] PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH SINGLE 8EX COLOR OR BACE DATE OF DEATH MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Write the word (Month) (Day) DATE OF BIRTH I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _, 191<u>9</u>, to June (Day) that I last saw h A alive on June AGE If LESS than I day,....hrs and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at ? P m. or___mln.? mos. The CAUSE OF DEATH+ was as follows: OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work (b) General nature of industry. business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) BIRTHPLACE (City or town. Opration) State or foreign country) Contributory. NAME OF (SECONDARY) FATHER BIRTHPLACE ARENTS OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) (Address)_Z MAIDEN NAME . *State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury: and (2) whiether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. OF MOTHER LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR BIRTHPLACE RECENT RESIDENTS) OF MOTHER B.—Every item of inf (City or town, State or foreign country) In the of death. yrs.____mos.__ .ds. State_ Where was disease contracted OF MY KNOWLEDGE if not at place of death?_ gormer of usual residence PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL (ADDRESS) DATE OF BURIAL UNDERTAKER RECESTRAR

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Statement of cause of death.—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: Cerebrospinal fever (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); Diphtheria (avoid use of "Croup"); Typhoid fever (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); Lobar pneumonia; Bronchopneumonia ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); Tuberculosis of lungs, imeninges, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc. of meninges, peritonaeum, etc., Cancer" is less definite; avoid mes of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); Measles

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